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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
DRUG ENFORCEMENT ADMINISTRATION  
Importer of Controlled Substances  
Notice of Application

Pursuant to 21 USC § 958(i), the Attorney General shall, prior to issuing a registration under this Section to a bulk manufacturer of a controlled substance in schedules I or II, and prior to issuing a regulation under 21 USC § 952(a)(2) authorizing the importation of such a substance, provide manufacturers holding registrations for the bulk manufacture of the substance an opportunity for a hearing.

Therefore, in accordance with 21 CFR § 1301.34(a), this is notice that on September 21, 2012, Nebraska State Penitentiary, 4201 South 14<sup>th</sup> Street, Lincoln, Nebraska 68502, made application to the Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) to be registered as an importer of Pentobarbital (2270), a basic class of controlled substance listed in schedule II.

The facility intends to import the above listed controlled substance for legitimate use. Supplies of this particular controlled substance are inadequate and are not

available in the form needed within the current domestic supply of the United States.

Any bulk manufacturer who is presently, or is applying to be, registered with DEA to manufacture such basic class of controlled substance may file comments or objections to the issuance of the proposed registration, and may, at the same time, file a written request for a hearing on such application pursuant to 21 CFR § 1301.43, and in such form as prescribed by 21 CFR § 1316.47.

Any such written comments or objections should be addressed, in quintuplicate, to the Drug Enforcement Administration, Office of Diversion Control, Federal Register Representative (ODL), 8701 Morrisette Drive, Springfield, Virginia 22152; and must be filed no later than [INSERT 30 DAYS FROM DATE OF PUBLICATION].

This procedure is to be conducted simultaneously with, and independent of, the procedures described in 21 CFR § 1301.34(b), (c), (d), (e), and (f). As noted in a previous notice published in the Federal Register on September 23, 1975, 40 FR 43745-46, all applicants for registration to import a basic class of any controlled substance in schedule I or II are, and will continue to be, required to demonstrate to the Deputy Assistant Administrator, Office

of Diversion Control, Drug Enforcement Administration, that the requirements for such registration pursuant to 21 USC § 958(a), 21 USC § 823(a), and 21 CFR § 1301.34(b), (c), (d), (e), and (f) are satisfied.

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